

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY MOGADISCIO  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5256  
INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA  
AMEMBASSY CAIRO

C O N F I D E N T I A L MOGADISCIO 1537

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PINS, SO, ET  
SUBJECT: GENERAL SAMANTAR TO CAIRO?

1. WE HAVE REPORT FROM LOCAL SOURCE THAT SOMALI MIN DEFENSE  
SAMANTAR LEFT SECRETLY FOR CAIRO EARLY MORNING HOURS OF SEPT  
8. REPORT DERIVED FROM TWO SEPERATE LOCAL SOURCES.

2. EGYPTIAN MIL ATTACHE COLONEL HALIM RETURNED TO MOGADISCIO  
SEPT 11, CUTTING SHORT A VACATION WHICH WAS TO LAST UNTIL  
LATE SEPTEMBER. EMBOFF WILL HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO RAISE QUESTION  
OF ALLEGED SAMANTAR VISIT WHEN HE MEETS WITH COLONEL HALIM  
MORNING OF SEPT 12.  
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